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Application No.: 09/777,314 Group No.: 2615
Filed: February 5, 2001 Examiner: G. Selby
For: SOLID-STATE IMAGE PICKUP DEVICE WITH DISCHARGE GATE
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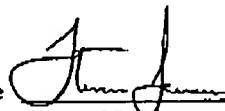
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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

1. Transmitted herewith is an Amendment for this application.

STATUS

2. Applicant is
☐ a small entity. A statement:
☐ is attached.
☐ was already filed.
☒ other than a small entity.

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after expiration of the shortened statutory period.

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NOTE: See 37 C.F.R. Section 1.645 for extensions of time in interference proceedings, and 37 C.F.R. Section 1.550(c) for extensions of time in reexamination proceedings.

3. The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. Section 1.136 apply.

(complete (a) or (b), as applicable)

- (a) ☒ Applicant petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. Section 1.136 (fees: 37 C.F.R. Section 1.17(a)(1)-(4)) for the total number of months checked below:

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<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	one month	\$ 110.00	\$ 55.00
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<input type="checkbox"/>	three months	\$ 980.00	\$ 490.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	four months	\$ 1,530.00	\$ 765.00

Fee: \$ 110.00

If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor.

(check and complete the next item, if applicable)

- ☐ An extension for _____ months has already been secured. The fee paid therefor of \$ _____ is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested.

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OR

- (b) ☐ Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time.

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FEE FOR CLAIMS

4. The fee for claims (37 C.F.R. Section 1.16(b)-(d)) has been calculated as shown below:

		(Col. 3) SMALL ENTITY				OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY		
(Col. 1)		(Col. 2)						
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Total	** Minus	**	=	x \$9 =	\$		x \$18 =	\$
Indep.	** Minus	**	=	x \$42 =	\$		x \$84 =	\$
[] First Presentation of Multiple Dependent Claim				+ \$140 =	\$		+ \$280 =	\$
Total					Addit. Fee \$	OR	Total	Addit. Fee \$

- * If the entry in Col. 1 is less than the entry in Col. 2, write "0" in Col. 3,
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- (c) [X] No additional fee for claims is required.

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- (d) [] Total additional fee for claims required \$

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6. ☒ If any additional extension and/or fee is required, charge Account No. 04-1105.

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